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The University Stentor, November 7, 1893
ANOTHER VICTORY.

BELOIT DEFEATED IN A LOOSE GAME.

The Beloit team arrived in town Monday noon determined to take Lake Forest "into camp," and thus go home with at least one victory. The day was ideal for both players and spectators, and a fair-sized crowd witnessed the game. However, Beloit was disappointed in her worthy ambition, and this in spite of the fact that Lake Forest played a substitute full-back and a new man at guard, Lake Forest was found to win, but would have had more difficulty in doing so if Beloit had had a few more men like her captain, Atkinson. He made his men play a quick sharp game. At one time our score was 20 to 4, but by a little extra "ginger" Beloit worked up, so that the final score was 26-16.

At 3:30 the team lined up as follows:

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Referee—Nyce, of Princeton '91.
Umpire—Raycroft, U. of Chicago.

Beloit won the toss and took the ball, 10 yards was gained on the opening play. Rushes by Atkinson, Keith and Fisher, brought the ball to the L. F. 10 yd. line. L. F. braced a little, but Atkinson finally carried the ball across the line, scoring Beloit's first touchdown. No goal was kicked. Score 4-0 for Beloit. L. F. opened with a flying wedge, and Jackson carried the ball 30 yards.

Good bucking by Fales and Lee, and runs by Woolsey, quickly carried the ball down the field. Beloit could not stop L. F.'s rushes, and the ball was carried across the line by Lee. No goal. Score 4-4.

Beloit made a short gain with the wedge, followed by runs of Atkinson and Riggs. L. F. got the ball on four downs and carried it down the field when it again went to Beloit.

Beloit made several good gains. At this point Fisher was hurt and his place taken by Frizzelle. Woolsey shortly after this got the ball for L. F. by a sharp play. It was forced down the field, and Jackson, after a run of 20 yards, made a touchdown. Fales kicked goal. Score 10-4 for Lake Forest.

Beloit took the ball and carried it up the field till Lee got it on a fumble by Atkinson. This ended the first half.

L. F. opened the second half with the flying wedge, making 12 yds. Fales punted and Atkinson returned. Fales again punted to Atkinson, who fumbled the ball, and Woolsey dropped on it. The ball was carried up the field and across the line by Woolsey. No goal, 14-4 for Lake Forest. Beloit tried the wedge for a short gain, but L. F. got ball on four downs. Fales punted. Atkinson dropped the ball, and Rice, picking it up, made a touchdown. Fales kicked goal. Score 20-4 for Lake Forest. Beloit took the ball, and aided by splendid interference by Atkinson, Keith made a touchdown. Atkinson kicked goal. L. F. carried the ball quickly up the field, and Jackson, after a run of 25 yds., made the last touchdown for L. F. Fales kicked goal, 26-10 for Lake Forest. Beloit carried the ball into L. F. territory, where it was kept for some time, when Keith made a touchdown for Beloit, being literally carried across the line by Atkinson. This was the star play of the game. Goal was kicked. Score 26-16 for L. F. L. F. took the ball up the field, and had it within half a yard off Beloit's goal when time was called.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Atkinson's all-around playing was a feature. He was literally the life of his team.

The interference of the Beloits was often a beautiful sight. Lake Forest was rather weak in this respect.

ATHLETICS.

Yale, Princeton and Wesleyan patched up an undergraduate rule against Pennsylvania at their recent meeting in New York. The rule is all right, but it can never be enforced. Pennsylvania still continues to play her old team and seems to want not so much the pennant as a strong team.

Lee, who is improving every day, is now a fixture at half-back. Reinhardt, of the Academy team, is now playing at left guard in McEachern's place. While he is a comparatively new man, still he is strong and quick, and if coached a little, ought to make a good guard.
No matter where we have played this Fall, in every instance we found good level fields which had a covering of black soil. In most cases they have been surrounded by close board fences. Why do the authorities not give us a good field, at least? As one of the town men told the boys, they endanger their life and limb in every practice game. Not only is the ground hard clay, but it is full of sharp-edged pieces of flint, so that every little while some one gets the skin all taken of his hands or face. In some places ditches have been washed out by the rain so that a man is in danger of spraining his ankle every time he runs.

In the last game at Evanston the team was supported by a large sized delegation from Lake Forest. Let everybody turn out and go down next Saturday. Those who missed the train last time can take an earlier start this time.

The Academy foot-ball team must have an awfully complicated system of signals judging from the amount of time which is spent in practicing on them. The Captain gets his men out on the field as a rule before the 'varsity gets out. His team then proceeds to practice signals which they do all the time the 'varsity is practicing its signals. Then when asked to line up against the 'varsity the plea is, "We want to practice signals, can't you let us practice signals just a little bit every day?" Then the 'varsity has to go round and pick up a few men to form a line against it. This is no kind of practice for the 'varsity; they ought to have fifteen or more good men against them every night if they expect to do anything.

There is now a systematic effort on foot to organize a good second eleven. Although rather late in the season, yet much good may be derived from the formation of this team. E. E. Vance has been elected captain and will be pleased to see as many as possible come out for practice. Let every one put on a suit of some sort and play ball.

ALUMNI.

Rev. J. W. Millar, of 'S3, is pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Deer Lodge, Montana, and gives the Biblical Instruction to the classes in the College of Montana.


Keyes Becker, of 'S9, is one of the editors of "The Ram's Horn"—the only paper of the kind in the world—an unsectarian religious weekly which has its headquarters in the Woman's Temple, Chicago.

Rev. Selby F. Vance, of 'S5, who went abroad in June with Mrs. Vance and Miss Jean Smith for two years of study in Germany, spent some months at Cassel and is now at the University of Tubingen. His line of study is New Testament criticism.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mrs. Bridgeman has returned from a visit in Orange, New Jersey.

The Junior dancing school started last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Pevien, of Waukegan, will again take charge of the class.

The University Club met for the first time last Friday evening at President Coulter's house.

The Misses Wood gave a Hallowe'en party Tuesday evening, Oct. 31st.

The Young People's Entertainment Society was entertained Thursday evening at the home of Miss Pratt. The Society will meet regularly throughout the winter for the purpose of amusement and social intercourse.

The Northwestern Railroad has enlarged its Lake Forest engine-house to hold two engines.

The bridge between the church and Mr. J. B. Durand's is being repaired.

The liquor nuisance is as yet unabated. Several beer wagons have been seen in Lake Forest lately, or probably the same wagon has been seen several times, openly delivering spirits.

Several days ago Mrs. Lake's house was entered and over forty dollars taken. Mrs. Lake, who lives on the road to Lake Bluff, had been having her house calculated, and the calculiners had left a ladder to the second story standing. The burglars probably gained entrance by means of this ladder.

Monday night, Oct. 30th, Charles Bryant, of Highland Park was discovered robbing Blackler's meat market. Mr. Blackler had been missing small sums for several months previous. His cashier suspected Bryant, but as Mr. Blackler was unwilling to believe it, he engaged a Mooney & Boland detective to look into the matter. Monday night the detective and Russell Wells found Bryant in the store but failed to catch him. He, although shot in the leg, managed to catch a train just drawing out, and reached his home in Highland Park, where he was soon after found by the detective and Mr. Blackler. Bryant is well known and has been highly esteemed in Lake Forest. He became a partner of Blackler's after working for him several years, but last spring he established a market of his own in Highland Park. He was married but a few months ago. He confessed that he had robbed the safe and till twenty times taking each time from five to fifty dollars. Being acquainted with the combination of the safe and having a key of the till, his method was simple enough after he had swung himself through the transom of the front door. The whole affair is a surprise to all who knew Bryant. Such actions also show a very ungrateful attitude toward Mr. Blackler, who has helped Bryant in many ways. It has been said that Bryant will not be prosecuted.
THE BIOLOGICAL CLUB.

The "Biological Club of Lake Forest University" was organized Friday, Nov. 3, in Prof. Locy's laboratory. The officers of the club are: President, Dr. Coulter; secretary, E. B. Uline. Beside a president and secretary there is a program committee, consisting of two students and a member of the faculty, to handle the meetings. The club will meet once in three weeks, on Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, in Prof. Locy's laboratory.

Its charter members are: Misses Cotton, Phelps, Gilleland, McKee and Goodwin; Messrs. Coulter, Uline, Harper, Locy, Dudley, Coulter, Bray, Hayner, Black, Swezey and Thom.

Dr. Coulter outlined the work as follows: The object of a Biological club is, first, to create an atmosphere of the subject,—to arouse in the student a lively interest in scientific research; secondly, to make students familiar with the current literature of Biology, and lastly, to give scientific students the very necessary practice in presenting the results of their investigation.

All students having completed one year's course in either Botany or Zoology, and continuing the course, are eligible to membership.

This club is expected to arouse much interest in scientific inquiry at Lake Forest. It is desired that every one interested will take hold and push it to success.

COMMUNICATION.

VANDALISM.

Isn't it time for the students of Lake Forest to consider what constitutes proper fun and what becomes vandalism? It is not my purpose to write an essay on college morals, or to discuss at length the subject from an ethical standpoint; but I want to bring forward a few concrete examples, in the belief that the strong sentiment of the students here condemns wrong-doing as soon as it is seen. There is a great deal of badness in the world, but I believe that there is much more of goodness, and this holds among students as well as among other classes of people. Where so many young people are brought together it is quite natural that there should be more or less of mischief. When that mischief is innocent—when it does not go too far, when it is not demeaning either to those who practice it or to the victim, it is not objectionable; but when it becomes vicious, when it goes so far as to become a nuisance or a danger, when it offers insult to the feelings or bodily injury to the individual, when it destroys public or private property, then it is wrong and should be discountenanced. Let us take a few examples. The destruction of a window screen in the private room of a young lady at Ferry Hall would not have been thought of in any private home in Lake Forest, and was promptly resented on the part of the mass of students as soon as known, and proper amends insisted upon. The injury to the new grand Steinway piano in the chapel on Hallowe'en was an act of purest vandalism that, I am sure, will meet with still greater disapproval on the part of the body of students of Lake Forest University. The trustees are constantly making great effort to furnish the schools with every appliance to assist the students in their work, and any destruction of property assigned to this purpose is therefore doubly to be deplored and condemned. The city lamplighter told me that four-fifths of the expense to the city for repairing lamps is incurred in the limited part of the city which students most frequent. Lamps are smashed as a recreation, and tax-payers must foot the bill, while citizens are obliged to find their way along the streets in darkness. Destruction of public property is a crime just as much as is the destruction of private property. It seems to me that the time has come when faculty and students should set their strong seal of disapproval upon these things.—L. SEELEY.

EXCHANGES.

Wooster University has lately received legacies amounting to $50,000.

The second number of the Inlander has come to us, and is if possible better than the first.

The Rockford Collegian contains Washington Irving's Ichabod Crane in dramatized form.

The University of Minnesota beat Ann Arbor in a wretchedly poor game, 34-20. They followed this up by beating Evanston 18-0.

Nothing is so essential to the success of college athletics as the support of the press. This has been proven beyond a doubt in the East and is rapidly being demonstrated in the South.—Ex.

The library is the arsenal of human thought and contains both trophies of the past and the weapons for future conquest.—Round Table.

The Voice, a well edited monthly, comes to us from the West Division High School of Chicago.

The editor sat in his sanctum
Letting his lessons rip,
Racking his brain for an item,
And stealing all he could clip.

The editor sat in his class room
As if gotten over a drunk,
His phiz was clouded with awful gloom,
For he had made a total flunk.

The editor returned to his sanctum,
And hit himself in the eye,
He swore he'd enough of this business;
He would quit this paper or die.

—Silver and Gold.
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HARVARD, always in the forefront in matters educational is now moving in the direction of greater attention to the study of English. Thorough and careful training is offered, with a view to attaining, first, a scientific knowledge of English language and literature; second, a general acquaintance with English literature; third, proficiency in English composition. Students are encouraged to form opinions of their own about what they read, and to express opinions with intelligence, precision, and brevity. Harvard has increased the number of courses in English about fifty per cent. over last year, and there is scarcely a doubt that all other colleges will follow in her footsteps. This advance in English study is made mostly at the expense of the ancient languages—chiefly Greek. Many educators express the idea that Greek will ultimately lose its present prominent position as a required study, and become of secondary importance. Such at least seems to be the modern tendency. Be that as it may, all students will agree that English (and American) literature should receive more attention from college men than has usually been given to the subject in the past.

WE are glad to note that the preliminary steps are being taken towards forming a University Glee Club. The plan outlined in the last number of The Stentor seems to meet with general favor. We hope to see the club organized and practicing before Thanksgiving.

IT has been suggested that we enter a plea in behalf of the many hand-ball players for a suitable place to play that "fiendish" game. There is a court alongside the College dormitory, but changes in the weather will soon make it unavailable. In the gymnasium there is the dark, cooped-up end of the ball cage with a rough and uneven floor. We would urge that a portable wall be provided, so as to make one or two hand-ball courts on the main floor of the gymnasium. The game is one of the best of indoor exercises, and better facilities should be furnished for it.

THE two College societies have appointed a joint committee to consider the "Annual" project, so it is highly probable that this year will see a second "Forester." This is as it should be. At the last meeting of The Stentor editorial board, the members were nearly unanimous in their approval of such a publication, and this opinion seems to be shared by the students at large. We wish to call the attention of the committee to the fact that the Annual should appear not later than the middle of the second term, hence there is great necessity for dispatch. Everyone is very busy (or thinks he is,) but there is plenty of unoccupied talent which can be devoted to this work, while even a really busy man can always do still more. We can readily surpass our former effort if all take hold in the right spirit. Let the matter be pushed.

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COLLEGE LOCALS.

The gymnasium is now open on Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

Mr. A. Black is the latest addition to the working force of Herbarium.

Essays, orations and theses are now the bane of life for a great many students.

C. G. Smith was last week called away from school by the death of his grandmother.

W. E. Danforth, G. W. Wright and H. Marcotte, attended the Hallowe'en party at Ferry Hall.

Attention is called to a communication from Dr. Seeley on "Vandalism," which appears in this issue.

Prof. G. W. Schmidt is now located in the Sharp-neck house where the "19th Century Club" boarded last year.

John Rice received a visit from his brother E. O. Rice, of Wis. U. '92. His brother George has entered the class of '97.

Judging from the programs posted it would appear that the new men are rapidly getting into their harness in the societies.

There is now a chance to get magazines and other periodicals very cheaply from those having the reading room in charge.

The College fellows appreciated very highly the serenades given by the young ladies last Thursday and Friday evenings.

About ten members of the foot-ball team accompanied Capt. Hayner to Evanston, on Saturday to get pointers on the Beloit team.

Mr. F. C. Rogers, of Waukegan, has been obliged owing to poor health to quit school. This is the second man '96 has lost this year.

Mr. Leland T. Powers will give his peerless impersonation of Dickens' "David Copperfield" in the Art Building, on Saturday evening, Nov. 25.

J. A. McGaughey, on Tuesday, left for Monmouth College to take charge of the foot-ball team in that school. He will be much missed in the team here and his place is hard to fill.

Quite a number of the boys took advantage of the holiday on closing day to attend the Minnesota-Northern game. The fellows think Minnesota will meet her Waterloo when she plays Madison.

Dr. Coulter was at Marion, Indiana, last week, in attendance on the State convention of Young Men's Christian Association, of which he was president and at which convention he delivered an address.

Through the Wooster Voice we learn that B. R. McHatton (a former editor of this paper) has entered the Junior class of Wooster College and that his good record as a foot-ball player has preceded him.

Miss Abigail Davies gave one of her enjoyable candy-pulls last Thursday evening in honor of her friend Miss Graham, of Greenville, Mich. The participants declare the evening a success—"lots of fun."

A dark night—a "Sen" serenade of the College—a wild rush to the window—obstacle a clean pane of glass—then crash and all that's left is a hole in the sash. The foot-ball captain is now looking for a glazier.

Fry thought he had a high-grade watch dog, but since Hallowe'en he has changed his opinion. He says the dog never barked once during the night, while there was disturbance enough to have kept him barking till morning.

The parties who took the hymn books from the College chapel and who damaged the piano at Ferry Hall should make a satisfactory settlement for their malicious mischief. If they are honorable men they will do so promptly.

There does not seem to be so much enthusiasm in regard to the chess club as last year. Chess is a game which is receiving much attention in the higher colleges to-day and it is to be hoped a club will be started here as soon as the foot-ball season closes.

Harry McClenahan spent a few days in town during the last of the week. It was expected he would be back with the Sophomore class as soon as the Fair was over. He says, however, he will not be able to come back to school till after the Christmas holidays.

The Dial of November 1st contains a review by Prof. Halsey of the last addition to the "American Statesmen" series—the life of Abraham Lincoln by John T. Morse, Jr. This work Prof. Halsey considers superior to the more pretentious "lives" which have preceded it.

About a week ago a notice was posted that a letter had been received for the Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity. We do not often get letters of such a kind here, and it created quite a little curiosity among the fellows. The question was several times asked whether it was possible that a "frat" existed her "sub rosa."

It is said that the Freshmen have been breaking into the rooms of some of the upper class-men. For a Freshman to enter a Sophomore's room while he is out is not unprecedented. But it is a law established by age and custom that the rooms of the upper class-men should be left alone by the lower c'ass-men.

DIED—At North Hall, Thursday, November 2, Solidge Ometry, '97, aged one month and sixteen days. Funeral services November 4 at nine o'clock in the evening. He was much beloved by those who knew him best and for the others he still lives.

How we miss those little footlets
Thinking on the tufted stair, etc., afflatus.

The initial meeting of the University Club was held at the house of Dr. Coulter last Friday evening. Instrumental music by Misses Ripley and Sizer, and a paper by Prof. Halsey, supplemented by a spirited discussion, constituted the program. Social converse with refreshments followed, and the club adjourned to meet again at Prof. Thomas's.

At present the faculty are busily engaged in the revision of the requirements for admission. The revision does not mean any change in the standard of admission, but it does mean a broader, more "cosmopolitan" standard, so that just as there is a wider choice of courses under the new curriculum so there may be a wider field in which schools may be truly preparatory.

At the regular meeting of the Zeta Epsilon Society on Friday evening the program was opened by a debate—"Resolved, that the popular election of Senators
would reform our National Senate.” Affirmative, W. F. Curry, J. M. Vance; Negative, H. W. Harris, C. A. Coolidge. Decision of judges was for the negative. J. C. Lininger rendered a vocal solo and G. T. B. Davis read a selection from “Sohrab and Rustum.” Herbert Moore recited Artemus Ward’s opinions of “Wimen’s Rights,” and A. F. Waldo read a paper on “Prejudices.” The program as a whole was excellent.

The Freshmen, who had previously been quite reserved in their actions, made their debut on Hallowe’en, and appeared very much alive. They clearly showed that they were expert oöntologists. Their midnight parade to the Sem. in colorless suits, carrying in state the deceased (?) body of 960, and the weird, long-drawn out tolling of the College bell, together with the abstraction of said bell-rope, were merely outcroppings of latent talent. Too bad they lost the rope after taking the trouble to get it. They now rejoice in the fact that their colors waved triumphant from the top of the College dormitory all day Sunday and most of Monday.

The Athenæan Society held their regular meeting on Friday evening. A very entertaining and instructive talk on the Board of Trade was given by W. E. Danforth. The next on the program was an essay by A. B. Burdick, followed by the impromptu talk on “Banks and Banking” by J. H. Jones. The debate, resolved—“That the elections should be under the supervision of the federal government,” was rendered in an intensely interesting manner by W. U. Halbert for the affirmative and H. G. Timberlake for the negative. Both are new men and received the merited applause of all present. Several visitors were present among them Messrs Danforth, T. Stanley, Newton, Rossiter, Skinner and Erskine.

While in Evanston the fellows noticed that although their gymnasium is not nearly so pretentious as ours, yet they have those things so necessary in a gymnasium, namely, lockers. Within a very small place 72 lockers were constructed. We have in our gymnasium plenty of room for 100, which would be sufficient for our needs. This matter should be attended to and we should, if possible, secure some action on it. Another matter is in regard to covering for the running track. In almost all gymnasiums, on the surface of the running track a felt padding, especially prepared for the purpose, is laid. This makes dangerous slips by the runner less likely, saves shoes, is much easier on the feet, and causes no noise.

Arrangements have been made for the Week of Prayer (Nov. 12-17) as follows: Three of the six meetings (Sunday, Monday and Friday) will be union services of the College, Seminary and Academy; on the other evenings the Seminary will hold separate services. The meetings will probably be as follows: Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o’clock in the College Chapel; Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at Reid Hall; Thursday evening in College chapel, and the closing meeting on Friday evening in Ferry Hall chapel. The evening services will begin promptly at seven o’clock. The Associations have secured for this week the services of several prominent Association workers. Mr. L. W. Messer the general secretary of the Chicago Y. M. C. A. will be with us one or two evenings as will also one or two of his assistants. It is earnestly hoped that every student will unite heartily to make this Week of Prayer a grand success and a great stimulus to our work for the remainder of the year.

**FERRY HALL.**

The young ladies are much indebted to one of the crowds that serenaded on Friday evening for some good music.

Lost, strayed, or stolen—a small alarm clock has been missing since October 27th. A just reward will be given when returned to room 115.

Mrs C. B. Farwell lectured to the members of the Alecthean Society last Friday evening on “The English Bible.” It was a most delightful talk and was highly appreciated by the girls.

Perhaps it is not known that a larger part of Midway Plaisance has been transferred to Ferry Hall, north wing, second floor, but such is the case. There may be found the Beauty Show next door to Hagenbeck’s with the Street in Cairo and the Zoopraxographical Hall just opposite. Other interesting exhibits are the Persian and Egyptian Theatres, the “Fairies” Wheel, the Moorish Palace and Enchanted Maze, and the usual Bureau of Information and Guard House are near at hand. The guard is very courteous and is glad to show visitors the way out if they enter at the wrong time of day.

Monday was a holiday at the Sem. as well as at the College, but it was only given under condition that no disturbance be made on Hallowe’en. The Juniors consented to this with downcast faces, but after all a whole, day off is better than bothering the Seniors for only one evening. They had a party too and it would have been cruel if all their guests had been forced to go home bareheaded, which they surely would have done if the promise to be good had not been given. If the truth were known, the Seniors were much relieved when the faculty made that condition. Thirteen girls spent the day at the Fair, with Prof. Eager as chaperon. This was one of the instances where the “unlucky thirteen” was a misnomer.

The Senior Class entertained a few of their friends at a Hallowe’en party last Tuesday evening. The parlors and one of the recitation rooms were opened for the guests. A bright fire in the back parlor fireplace shed a cheerful glow on the merry gathering, and various games made the time pass pleasantly. First in order was a series of attempts to re-tail an inoffensive looking donkey. Mr. Goodman’s effort was judged to be the most successful in this, but in bobbing for apples, Dr. Seeley and Prof. Eager easily led. Chestnuts, apples and bowls of cider were ready at hand, while everyone seemed to know how to toast marshmallows. Indeed some few found this latter occupation so attractive that they were hardly able to resign it for a moment. The would-be artists had an opportunity to display their skill in drawing silhouettes, and Mr. Wright proved himself to be the first in the race for “Jerusalem.” All joined in singing college songs, but the hint con-
tained in the last one was too strong, so the company broke up, each one declaring that he had enjoyed a delightful evening.

It was in the autumn of ’93,
We never again shall that night see.
Some merry Sophs. to the Sem. did hie,
And to one lone Freshman bad good-bye.

They hung him high in a maple tree,
Where all could him next morning see;
For they dressed a stick in crimson and white,
And on his back "’97" did write.

Next morning at chapel the girls in a mass
Told of the trouble befalling the class;
The Freshmen were sad and with many a sigh
Betook themselves soon to the trees high.

Each of the boys, with an uncovered head,
Looked at his brother hanging dead.
Up climbed Roberts to let him down,
While others wept for this man of renown.

They laid him on a wooden board
And thought of the place where his soul had soared;
They carried him down to the deep ravine,
Where Freshmen often do convene.

Through his heart a stick they fix,
Which changed him to a ’96,
And when the counts are given in Heaven,
The laurels will fall to ’97.

LAKE FOREST ACADEMY.

Contributions are always gladly received for this department. It is not an easy matter to produce each week a page of Academy news. Therefore all should assist in doing something to fill the page and make it interesting at the same time.

We wish to thank Prof. Smith for the article on "Self Help" which he contributed for the last issue.

Prof. Whitford has charge of our library. We can modestly point to about four hundred volumes of the very best works. The library is in a large and well-lighted room with plenty of space for more shelves, which we hope will soon be there and filled. That the students appreciate the library can be seen by their industrious patronage of it.

ACADEMY LACONICS.

F. C. Vincent, ’93, was in town last week.

Mrs. Smith is enjoying a visit from her mother.

Hinckley is the smallest man at present in the Academy.

In Mr. Hedges the Academy this year has a violinist of rare qualities.

The reports for the first half of the Fall term were read in chapel last Thursday.

“Gimpy” Smith is getting that far-away, wistful look into his eyes that Prof. Dudley has had so long.

W. H. Hughitt, an old Academy student, is now working in the General Freight department of the C. and N. W. Railway.

The class in Iliad, under Prof. Burnap, is preparing a special Homeric vocabulary, consisting of words frequently repeated in the text.

Of late the students residing in the Cottage have been heaping both insult and injury on the reading-room in that place. This should be stopped immediately.

The “Palmer House,” run on the “Roman Plan,” has just been opened in East Dormitory. For references on the menu apply to “Captain” Williams or “General” Kilgour.

The generally lawless order of the Rhetoric class deserves comment. Several times in last Saturday’s recitation the proceedings were interrupted by the boyish pranks of a few.

Chas. Durand is playing right half back for Andover Academy. He has the honor of having played with the only team which has scored against Harvard this year up to date.

A select party of about twenty players into the realms of thought from this institution found their way into the city last Monday in search of the Fair. An enjoyable time was the result. Kline and Wright were admitted on children’s tickets.

The Tri Kappa society is still busy changing its constitution. In last Wednesday’s meeting a motion was made for an amendment that a different member should be chosen to preside over each literary meeting in place of the president. This amendment will be voted upon next Wednesday.

Prof. Williams is very modest and courageous. But he is reported as saying that more nerve is required in the parlor when the gas burns low, to express the deep thoughts of the heart, than to buck the line in football. Prof. Dudley doubtless agrees with this statement, though Prof. Whitford is rather in doubt about it.

Hallowe’en was celebrated in a becoming and dignified manner in the Academy. It has been reported that not a few students failed to discriminate between doors and windows after ten o’clock on that night. But Hallowe’en only comes once a year, and that is a great consolation for those who were unable to find their senior privileges on the morning of Nov. 1.

BOOK REVIEWS.

It is reported that Dr. Palmer is just finishing another novel, entitled, “Climbing Rufus” or “How To Get Through the Window Unobserved.”

“Lake Forest After Dark,” by Mr. Geigh Levering.

Mr. L. Greenwood has suddenly become a poet. “Peace to his ashes.”
The following verses are from the pen of a poetically inclined Academy student.

MY SWEETHEART.
You ask if she's pretty, I cannot say no,
And yet it may be, you would not think so;
'Tis not only her beautiful face, 'tis her ways,
That makes me remember for long, long days,
My sweetheart.

Her honest brown eyes would scorn to coquette,
She's something far more than a doll or a pet,
Her voice is so low, her words are so kind,
The dearest girl in the world I find
My sweetheart.

Everyone loves her, and why should they not?
Since everyone's best to her shrine is brought;
Faults ne'er are talked of, wrong never implied,
Yet nobler and purer one grows at her side,
My sweetheart.

Birds that she loves sing more sweet than before,
Flowers bloom more sweetly that she has passed o'er,
God's world has new meaning, below and above,
Since to me has been given her soul's pure love,
My sweetheart. — L. G.

COMMUNICATION.
To the Editor:
The University has good cause to be proud of her football team this season, but the men themselves who fight so hard for the fame and name of our Alma Mater might be treated with more consideration.

I have seen more than one complaint printed in this paper upon the way our team was treated away from home. I wish to argue for one thing being done for its comfort in our own town. After a man has played a long and hard fought game he feels little like walking home nearly a mile from the station, and what is more, carrying a heavy satchel. Particularly is this true if any one has been hurt. I know personally of two men, two of the best players of the team, who, after the Chicago University game, were so sore and lame that walking was difficult, yet had to walk home and carry their luggage. It seems to me, an outsider, that this is either gross negligence on the part of the management or utter lack of appreciation and sympathy on the part of the students. Let the 'bus meet the boys on their return, and thus save a long and painful walk.

— F. M. S.

ACADEMY DEFEATED BY MORGAN PARK.
CLAIM THE REFEREE WAS RESPONSIBLE.
On Saturday afternoon the Academy foot-ball team played the Morgan Park Academy team at Morgan Park. This was the first defeat of the season for the Academy eleven, but it was a very close game, resulting in the score of 14 to 12. The Academy would undoubtedly have won the game if it had not been for the contemptible action of a member of the Morgan Park faculty, named Caldwell, who was referee in the last half.

Morgan Park won the toss. They opened with a wedge and gained 5 yards. Then by a series of long runs around the ends they made a touchdown, but failed to kick goal. Lake Forest took the ball and made 10 yards on a flying wedge. By continual bucking the Academy made a touchdown and Woelfel failed to kick goal. M. P. took the ball, and by a wedge and runs around the ends scored a touchdown, but again failed to kick goal. Then L. F. A. took the ball, made 40 yards by the flying wedge, and bucked a touchdown. No goal. Ball went to the center of the field and time was called for the first half. Score 8 to 8.

In the second half L. F. A. made fifteen yards with a flying wedge. At this juncture the ball was lost to M. P. on a fumble. The Academy held them to three downs. M. P. punted and Campbell caught the ball and made a fine run of 30 yards. Lake Forest bucked another touchdown and Woelfel again failed to kick goal. Morgan Park took the ball, opened with a wedge, and made 2 yards. Here the referee called this first down. Morgan Park failed to gain 5 yards in four downs and L. F. A. took possession of the ball. Williams bucked the line and yelled "down," and the referee blew his whistle. Their center-rush then grabbed the ball after it was down and got within 5 yards of the L. F. goal. The referee allowed this play, by which he virtually presented M. P. with a touchdown as M. P. ran around the end, securing a touchdown and kicked goal. To gain this touchdown the referee gave them two minutes over time. Lake Forest took the ball to the middle of the field and time was called soon after, the final score standing 14 to 12 in favor of Morgan Park Academy.

Among the special features of the game were Miller's bucking in the first half and Captain Williams in the second, together with Morgan Park's interference and L. F. A.'s defensive play. But the greatest feature of all was the prodigious nerve exhibited by Morgan Park's referee.

Chicago University will have a Glee Club this year. As they already have a University Orchestra, we may expect music this year, with a vengeance.

FATE.
I took my books the other day
And studied in the Quad, alone,
But no professor passed that way,
I wasn't called on the next day;
That work was never known.

Up on the road beside the brook,
One little hour we two beguiled;
I never looked inside a book,
But I met each Prof. whose work I took,
And when I flunked, he smiled.

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